EPA Diesel Emissions Reduction Act (DERA) Workshop

March 5, 2009 10:00 AM until 11:30 AM Aqua & Terra Conference Rooms (MDE Lobby)

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Agenda

TBA - Maryland Department of the Environment

• Welcome, Introductions, and Review of the Agenda

William Jones - United States Environmental Protection Agency

- Overview of Federal Government Economic Stimulus Package funding for the Diesel Emissions Reduction Act (DERA)
- Grant Criteria
- Assessing diesel fleets and identifying eligible vehicles
- Establishing eligible partnerships
- Preparing fleet and proposal descriptions
- Evaluating public health benefits, costs effectiveness, and emission reductions

TBA – Maryland Department of the Environment

- Overview of State Program
- Maryland Proposal

Susan Stephenson – Mid-Atlantic Diesel Collaborative

- Overview of the Mid-Atlantic Diesel Collaborative
- Regional MARAMA Proposal

Questions, Answers, and Discussion

For More Information on 2009 Federal Funding for Diesel Emissions Reduction Projects see:

 $\frac{http://www.mde.state.md.us/Programs/AirPrograms/Mobile_Sources/dieselemmiscontrol}{prog/funding 2009.asp}$